

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application	Mitsuo Kimura	>	Confirmation	1578
of:		/	No.:	
Application No.:	10/826,804			
Filed:	4/15/2004		Examiner:	Akwasi Sarpong
For:	METHOD FOR NOTIFYING STATE OF PRINTING PROCESSING, INFORMATION PROCESSING DEVICE, AND INFORMATION PROCESSING PROGRAM		Art Unit:	4178

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION / AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir / Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2008, Applicant is hereby entering a request for continued examination (RCE) and requests that the above-identified application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.